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On page 9, line 21:

after "easily removed", insert -- (not shown) --.

## IN THE CLAIMS:

Kindly amend claims 1-3, 5-8, 11, 14, 16 and 18, as follows:

- 1. (Twice Amended) A conveniently transportable infant stroller for safely and smoothly carrying an infant over various terrain at speeds faster than average walking speed, said infant stroller comprising:
- <u>a)</u> a frame assembly comprising three <u>cantilevered</u>, rigid members, hinged and constrained to move together by a releasable locking and folding [means,] <u>mechanism</u>, said <u>mechanism</u> comprising:

two meshing geared components, which rotate relative to a
fixed component,

- a follower secured to each said meshing geared components,
- a spring-loaded piston secured to the fixed component, and
- a means of retracting said piston against said spring secured to said fixed component,